

### Interview Summary

**Application No.**

10/829,489

**Applicant(s)**

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**Examiner**

THANHNGA B. TRUONG

**Art Unit**

2438

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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(2) Mr. Jacob Ward (Reg. No. 56754)

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Date of Interview: 21 April 2009

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 7, and 19

Identification of prior art discussed: Svensson-Hillford (US 6,354,405 B1)

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's representative presented an overview of the invention and discussed the cited prior art with the examiners. Applicant's representatives will propose an amendment to reflect the distinction between the cited prior art and the invention presented in the instant application. Further updated search and consideration of the amended claim language, when submitted to the Office, is necessary before any determination is to be made.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

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